allowed to draw the higher rates of High Price Allowance they were drawing prior to 1st April 1952 in whatever tenure they may be fixed after 1st April 1952.

In respect of Dearness Allowance the rules in force prior to 1st April 1952 will continue.

M. SHAMANNA,
Secretary to Government,
Finance Department.

Directs verification of the Dates of Birth of Gazetted Officers by the Heads of Departments.

CIRCULAR.

ORDER NO. FL. (B). 9352-451—C.R. 40-52-2, DATED BANGALORE, THE 7TH NOVEMBER 1952.

According to note 1 of paragraph 27 (*a*) of the Annexure to the Mysore Civil Account Code, Volume I, in the case of Gazetted Officers the evidence of date of birth should be furnished to the Comptroller (now the Accountant-General, Mysore).

In the new set up as the Accountant-General is not required to undertake the work of verification of the documentary evidence in support of the date of birth of a Gazetted Officer, Note 1 of paragraph 27 (*a*) of the Annexure to the Mysore Civil Account Code, Volume I, is deleted.

In future, the work of verification of the dates of birth of Gazetted Officers also may be done by the Heads of Departments, and for purposes of audit, it is sufficient that the dates of birth of officers directly recruited to the State Services are communicated to the Accountant-General, Mysore, by Government in the Administrative Department concerned.

M. SHAMANNA,
Secretary to Government,
Finance Department.

Records the report of the Revenue Commissioner on the working of the Treasuries in the State for the year 1951-52 with certain observations.

READ—

Letter No. C. 1095—52-53, dated the 28th October 1952, from the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore, forwarding the Annual Report on the working of the Treasuries in the State for the year 1951-52, received from the Accountant-General, Mysore, Bangalore.

ORDER NO. FL. (B) 9823-33—B. & T. 30-52-2, DATED BANGALORE, THE 26TH NOVEMBER 1952.

Recorded.

2. It is seen from the report that there was abnormal delay in the submission of lists of payments and cash accounts relating to State and Central transactions by the treasuries to the office of the Accountant-General. In order to enable the District Treasuries to send the monthly accounts punctually on the due dates to the Accountant-General, the following changes in the Treasury Procedure were introduced with effect from October 1951 :—

1. Inclusion of Taluk Treasury transactions of 26th and onwards in the District Treasury accounts of the following month except in March ;
2. Incorporation of Taluk Treasury transactions in the accounts of the District Treasury daily.

As a result of this new procedure it is expected that there will not be such delays in the submission of the accounts by the treasuries. The Revenue Com-